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Lancaster & Middlesex Counties, Va.

I. ABRAHAM WEEKS, appears in Lancaster County, Virginia as early as 1653. He is Justice there before the establishment of Middlesex Co., 1666/7. And is also Justice and Burgess for Middlesex.

b ?

d in Middlesex Co., between Jan.20th & Mar.7th,1690/1, the making & proving of his will.

m MELLICENT ? Time & place unknown. (The baptism of only one of his 7 children recorded in Christ Church Par.Reg. For Midx.Co.)

issue:

II.1. Francis - only son, who m prior to 1683. He died & his widow m John Vause.

Francis & Eliz. his wife had but 2 children:

III.1. Thos. bapt. Aug.5,1683

2. Hobbs " Mar.21,1686.

2. Mary - no data

3. Lettice m 1st Rev.Matt.Lidford; m 2nd before 1701: Wm.Montague.

4. Margaret m John Collins - issue: 1 child, Katharine bapt. Feb.22,1684/5.

5. Eliz. m 1st Caleb Wheling, he d 1692; m 2nd , Thos.Spencer of King & Queen,

6. dau. m John Jones. (This may have been a son of MELLICENT's by a former marriage - the wording of will & other records not very clear.)

7. KATHARINE, bapt. ~~at~~ Christ Church Parish Register, Dec.15,1661/2 (record mutilated and her baptism lies between the two dates.)

She m as 2nd wife, HENRY WILLIAMSON of Essex County.

WANTED:

Information concerning the parentage of ABRAHAM WEEKES of Lancaster & Middlesex Counties; and also of his wife MELLICENT.

ATTENTION

is called to the fact the they named their eldest and only son FRANCIS & that he named his second son HOBBS.

And further, attention is called to the fact that about 1649; FRANCIS HOBBS deeded to John Payne & JOHN WEEKS land in Isle of Wight county.

Weeks, - 2.

Note has been made that about 166-, SAMUEL WEEKES, shipwright of Peanketank in Lancaster Co., makes deed of gift to his wife FRANCES; on condition that at his death she pay off his debts, and especially noted are those to Abraham Russell of Sittingbourne Parish. No connection has yet been found between these two men, ABRAHAM WEEKES & SAMUEL WEEKES. But ABRAHAM did patent land on the Peanketank in Lancaster in 1683 and devised it to his only son, Francis - or else made deed of gift. Francis, in turn, made deed of gift to his wife and sons.

All Mrs.Nugent's references to WEEKES prior to 1666 have been noted.

The question is: Is ABRAHAM WEEKES a descendant of Capt.FRANCIS HOBBS of Isle of Wight County; or, is his wife, MELLICENT ?

Dear Mrs.Pollard:

According to your suggestion that your friend in Isle of Wight might like to exchange the desired information concerning the possible HOBBS-WEEKES connection with me for information from our "Caribbeana"; I herewith send to you the above data.

I can have the indices run for her before I return, or will supervise it when I get home about the middle of June. There are now 5 or 6 volumes; and many of them only contain indices of wills, administrations &c but they locate the people for you and, when found, you can send to the Islands for the full records.

However there are many Church records; lists of very early emigrants &c. If she cares to exchange the work, I will gladly do this either way she prefers.

Most sincerely,

Mary Hoss Headman
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In case she should not have access to Nugent, I copy the ~~xxx~~ item concerning ABRAHAM WEEKES: (See following sheet.)

*Blanche do you want to do this
Mary P.*

WEEKES.

Cavaliers & Pioneers - N.M.Nugent.

I-391,392.

ABRAHAM WEEKES, 450a on the N side of Rappa.River, bounded on the South with a Creek dividing this and land of Mr.Rowland Burnham, on N.W. with the Wading Cr. dividing this & land of Richard Perrott. 3 Apr.1662. (IV-279.) (380). 300a by assignment of patent from Mr.David Fox, dated 1 Nov.1650 & the residue, added to the above, being renewal of patent to sd WEEKES dated 22 Nov.1653.

450.

ABRAHAM WEEKES, 450a on S side of Rappa.Riv., 26 May 1665, (V-173.(60)). Bounded on S.E. with a Cr. dividing this land & the land of Mr.Rowland Burnham on the N.W. with Wading Cr., dividing this from land of Richard Parott. 300a by assignment from Mr.David Fox, 1 Nov.1650 & 150a added and granted sd WEEKES 22 Nov.1653 & now renewed.

29. June 1635.

WM.WEEKES - trans. by Capt.Wm.Peirce

67. Aug.21,1637.

THOS. WEEKES - James City Co. - 100a for trans. of wife, ELIZABETH BEARDSTY & a servant called Wm.Jones.

212. 3 Apr.1651.

THOS.WEEKES - trans. by Robert Abrall, Yorke Co.

150. Oct.19,1643.

JON WEEKES - trans. by Geo.Levitt - in Mockjack Bay.

(All the other WEEKES are of a later date than Abraham.)